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EEO 14-Unemployment Status. Detailed Census Occupation by Unemployment Status and Older Age Groups
Universe: Civilian labor force 16 years and over
EEO Tabulation 2006-2010 (5-year ACS data)

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Geography: United States
Estimate: Estimate

Occupation Code	Subject	Total, all ages	16 to 39 years	40 to 44 years	45 to 49 years	50 to 54 years
Total, all occupations	Total, unemployment status					
Total, all occupations	Number	154,037,475	72,587,950	17,776,140	18,693,635	17,127,695
Total, all occupations	Percent	100.0%	47.1%	11.5%	12.1%	11.1%
Total, all occupations	Currently employed					
Total, all occupations	Number	141,833,330	65,073,785	16,691,365	17,580,110	16,145,400
Total, all occupations	Percent	92.1%	42.2%	10.8%	11.4%	10.5%
Total, all occupations	Currently unemployed and worked in the last year					
Total, all occupations	Number	7,456,450	4,566,450	688,150	697,485	610,245
Total, all occupations	Percent	4.8%	3.0%	0.4%	0.5%	0.4%
Total, all occupations	Currently unemployed and last worked 1 to 5 years ago					
Total, all occupations	Number	3,101,280	1,695,020	302,955	320,480	294,245
Total, all occupations	Percent	2.0%	1.1%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%

Occupation Code	Subject	55 to 59 years	60 to 69 years	70 years and over
Total, all occupations	Total, unemployment status			
Total, all occupations	Number	13,517,955	11,784,685	2,549,415
Total, all occupations	Percent	8.8%	7.7%	1.7%
Total, all occupations	Currently employed			
Total, all occupations	Number	12,778,385	11,141,490	2,422,800
Total, all occupations	Percent	8.3%	7.2%	1.6%
Total, all occupations	Currently unemployed and worked in the last year			
Total, all occupations	Number	457,845	373,105	63,170
Total, all occupations	Percent	0.3%	0.2%	0.0%
Total, all occupations	Currently unemployed and last worked 1 to 5 years ago			
Total, all occupations	Number	226,300	219,545	42,735
Total, all occupations	Percent	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2006-2010 American Community Survey

Explanation of Symbols:

An '***' entry in the margin of error column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.

An '-' entry in the estimate column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute an estimate, or a ratio of medians cannot be calculated because one or both of the median estimates falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution.

An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.

An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.

An '****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the median falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution. A statistical test is not appropriate.

An '*****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.

An 'N' entry in the estimate and margin of error columns indicates that data for this geographic area cannot be displayed because the number of sample cases is too small.

An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available.

Occupation codes are 4-digit codes and are based on Standard Occupational Classification 2010.

Employment and unemployment estimates may vary from the official labor force data released by the Bureau of Labor Statistics because of differences in survey design and data collection. For guidance on differences in employment and unemployment estimates from different sources go to Labor Force Guidance.

The Census Bureau introduced an improved sequence of labor force questions in the 2008 ACS questionnaire. Accordingly, we recommend using caution when making labor force data comparisons from 2008 or later with data from prior years. For more information on these questions and their evaluation in the 2006 ACS Content Test, see the "Evaluation Report Covering Employment Status" at http://www.census.gov/acs/www/Downloads/methodology/content_test/P6a_Employment_Status.pdf, and the "Evaluation Report Covering Weeks Worked" at http://www.census.gov/acs/www/Downloads/methodology/content_test/P6b_Weeks_Worked_Final_Report.pdf. Additional information can also be found at <http://www.census.gov/people/laborforce/>.